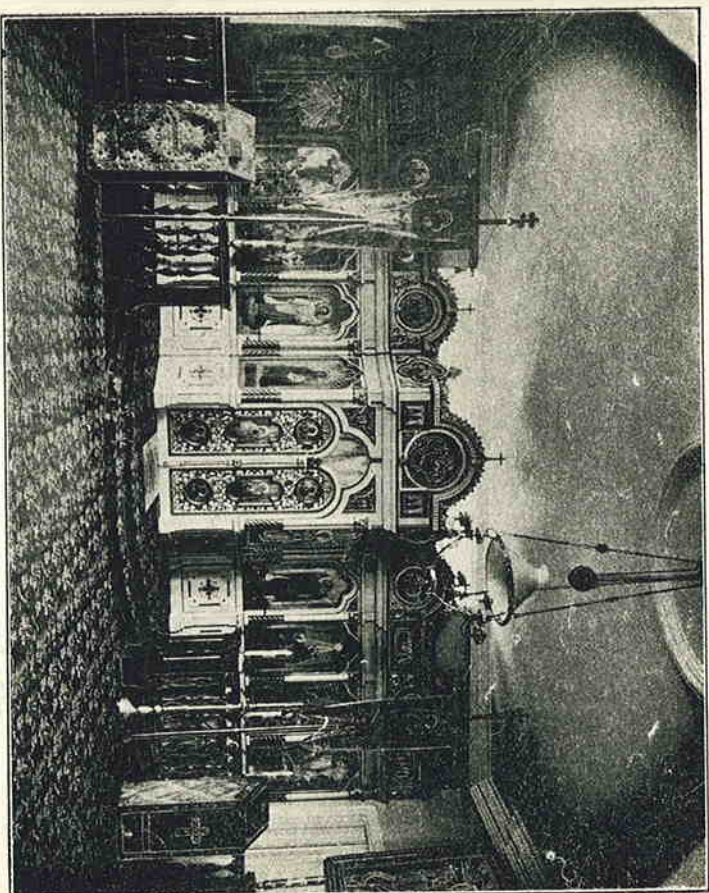


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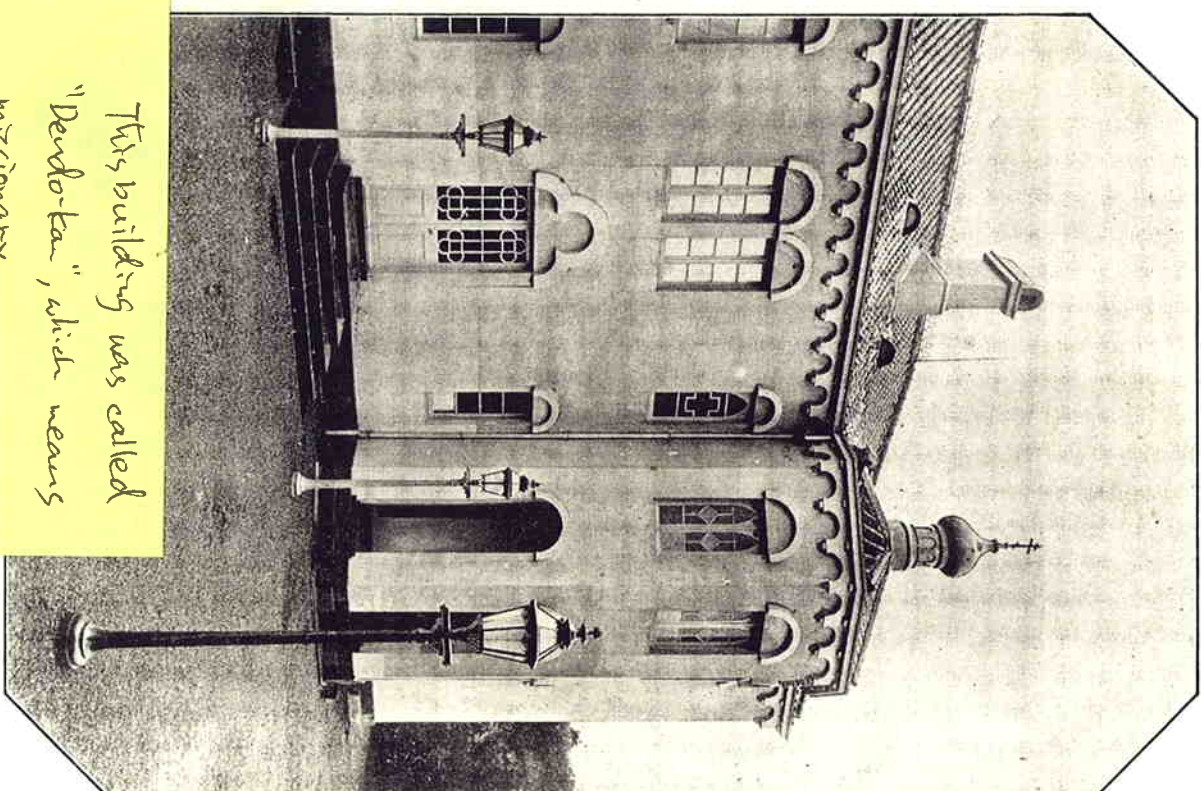


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This is the inside view of
the church on the 2nd floor.
(Nextivity)

The ordination was done here.

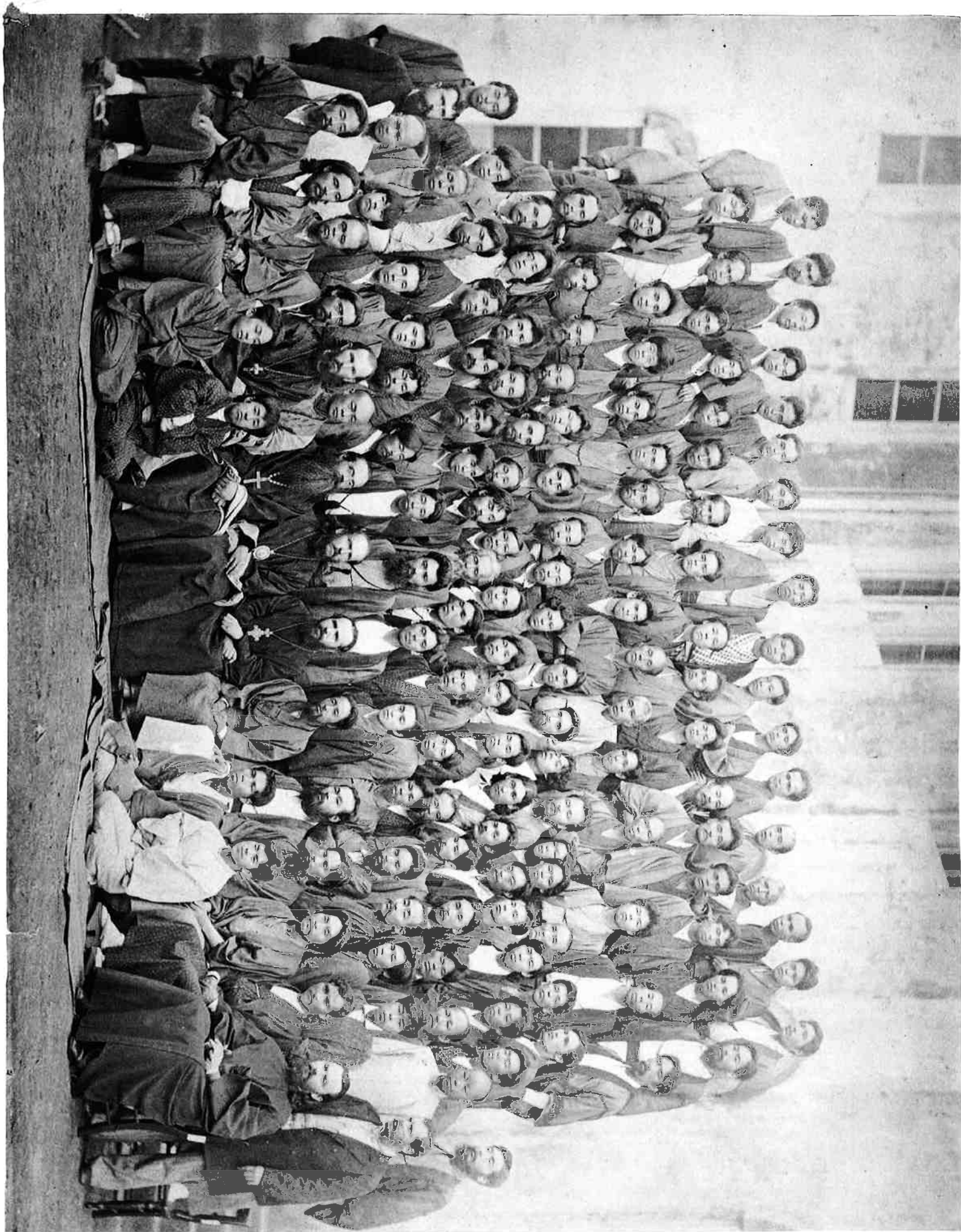
Notes. 「十字架聖堂」 means the church
in the house of Bishop.



This building was called
"Dendota", which means
missionary.

Service was held here
before the Resurrection Cathedral
was built.

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Dear Fr. Dionysius,

Thank you very much for your return e-mail. I will send you some materials about the picture. This picture was taken in July 1882, when the all Japan council was held. I put the name in English in the copy of the picture.

St. Nikolai was in the middle of the picture. And on the left side of him there are Archimandrit Frabian and St. Metrophanes. Archimandrit Anatly and ieromonach Vladimir (he became the Bishop in Russia) worked in Japan at that time. Pavel and Eumenes, who were marked by the color pen, were blessed as reader then.

I also put the article of "Seikyo Shinpo" which is concerned with this council and picture. I include summary of those article.

I sent the copy of the materials to Fr. John Nagaya, so if you meet any troubles about this materials or want to know more details about them, please ask him. I could not translate all of the articles, but I hope the article would be useful for you.

At the present time I can collect only these materials. When I would get some more informations about him, I will notice you.

In Christ

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